

st Mary's Burghfield



| <u>This Coming Week</u> | |
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| Monday 11th June | 9am Morning Prayer 11am Ashes Interment – Ann Harvey Parish Office closed |
| Tuesday 12th June | 1.30pm Ashes Interment – Noel Maye |
| Wednesday 13th June | 7pm Prayer Course Lower Room Parish Centre |
| Friday 15th June | 7pm Church cleaning |
| Sunday 17th June | 3rd Sunday after Trinity 9am Holy Communion 10.30am Contemporary Communion 12.15pm Baptism |
| Thursday 21st June | Funeral Service in Church for the late Doris Johnson (Known as Peggy) |
| Service the following week | |
| Sunday 24th June | 10.00am Joint Communion – 175th Anniversary Service |

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

- Wheeler Close, Thrush Close, Wren Close, Robin Close, Blackbird Close
- Our Priest Glynn
- Bishops Steven and Andrew, Dean Heather and Archdeacon Olivia
- People who have died recently: Doris (Peggy) Johnson

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Find us on [Facebook](https://www.facebook.com/stmarysburghfield) too! Photos and news of upcoming and recent events on our page "St Mary's Church Burghfield". We also have a "Messy Church Burghfield" page. Please visit, "like" and comment!

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The PCC of St Mary's the Virgin Burghfield is a Registered Charity No.1167639

10th June 2018 – 2nd Sunday after Trinity

WELCOME!

You are very welcome at our worship. We hope you experience God this morning and can stay for coffee and a chat after the service.

KidZone – (0-10 years) meets every Sunday at 10.30am except the first Sunday in a month. It starts and ends in the Church and all are welcome to join in the fun.



Toilets are situated in the Parish Centre next to the church

Please join us for Fairtrade tea or coffee between the 9.00am and 10.30am services

If you would like private prayer, please go to the chancel during communion at the 9am service or ask a member of clergy after the 10.30am service

If you would like to receive a gluten free wafer, please speak to the person who greeted you at the door or a churchwarden

Services

9.00am Holy Communion - 2 Corinthians 4.13-5.1, John 6.1-14

10.30am Contemporary Communion - John 6.1-14

3.30pm TASTE BCP Communion followed by tea and cake

Today's Prayer: Lord, you have taught us that all our doings without love are nothing worth: send your Holy Spirit and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, the true bond of peace and of all virtues, without which whoever lives is counted dead before you. Grant this for your only Son Jesus Christ's sake, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

NOTICES

Saturday 16th June 2018, 8:30am - 10:00am Churches Together Breakfast at St John's, Mortimer (RG7 3SY) with guest speaker Chris West speaking on Internet Security. All welcome. For catering purposes please let Marcia know if you would like to attend.

Monday 18th June 7.45pm for 8pm. An early reminder of the next PCC Study time, please ensure this date is in your diary.

Wednesday 27th June 7.50pm for 8pm Bradfield Deanery Spiritual Development Group meeting at St Mary's Sulhamstead. "Bring and Share – a plate and a scripture". Bring some food, savoury or sweet, and a passage to share for discussion

Cleaning the church building

Thank you to the dedicated team who regularly clean our beautiful church building. Do come and join us when you can: it is a great joy to add sparkle to our church! Please add your name to the rota at the back of church. The dates for your diary are:

- **Saturday 30th June 5pm** after Messy Church

Saturday 7th July Festival of Prayer 10am to 4.30pm

£30 per person. A good day to explore different aspects of spirituality and prayer put on by the Diocese of Oxford with BRF. A group will be going from the parish. Do speak to Margaret Thomas if you are interested in joining in this very worthwhile day.

Sound System

We are in the process of updating and improving our sound system (including the loop system) and are currently getting quotes from various companies. I'm sure this will come as really good news for us all, since our current system has been causing so many difficulties. If you would like to make a contribution to the sound system to enable us to do this as soon as possible, please place your donation in an envelope marked 'Sound System' and hand it in with the offertory or pass it on to one of the wardens. Revd Glynn

PMC (Partnership for Missional Church)

Please continue to pray for and think about YOUR role in PMC. Don't know what it is? Check out this link <https://www.churchmissionsociety.org/partnership-missional-church> and/or pick up the leaflet in church. **We need now to form a 'Steering Team' so if you are interested in being part of PMC please speak to Glynn or the wardens.**

Have you ever played Bridge?

Burghfield Bridge Club (founded 1963) is a friendly, informal, wide ability and flexible Bridge Club. It provides an ideal opportunity for those who are rusty or novices looking to improve as well as those who just do not want the intensity of a more formal Bridge Club and it is free of charge. Partners can be arranged. We are looking for a few new

members for the next season. If you may be interested now or for the future, then please talk to Ollie or Claire.

175th Anniversary!

Preparations for the 175th Anniversary Celebration weekend are gathering pace! So far we have the following activities planned for the weekend 23/24 June:

- 1) Sunday 10 am joint celebration service; the preacher will be our archdeacon, Olivia Graham;
- 2) Refreshments available throughout the weekend to offer hospitality and raise funds for the Pepperpot tower;**
- 3) Please contribute to our family photo exhibition. Bring copies, digital or physical, and let everyone enjoy the memories;
- 4) We hope to have photo albums from past events which are currently archived at the Berkshire Record Office. Also a postcard collection showing views of the village;**
- 5) A celebration of creativity in our community. Individuals and groups from the local community are invited to showcase their creativity. This could be physical items made by drawing, painting, writing, sewing, knitting, crocheting, woodwork, clay modelling, Lego, jewellery making etc. Or it could be a creative idea, such as creating a community event (e.g. Burghfest). We want your item/idea to show: please don't be shy. We want to showcase what a wonderful creative community we live in and contribute to;
- 6) Children's poster competition entries. Margaret Thomas has launched this competition with our local schools: it will be great to see the winning entries displayed;**
- 7) Malcolm Summers has written a really informative book about Henry George Willink, which includes lots of interesting local history. He has kindly agreed to be at church on Saturday 23rd to chat about the book and sign copies;
- 8) We have been given a stall on the Hatch as part of the Box Kart Bash, which takes place on 24 June. We hope to sell cakes and signpost our exhibitions to the local community in this way;**
- 9) We are investigating whether we could run a children's version of the Box Kart Bash, for model karts. Talk to us if you're interested.

Please book the 23rd and 24th June as important dates in your diaries and talk to Alison Eves or Margaret Thomas about what you would like to do to help.

There are rotas at the back of the church available for signing-up to help with our 175th Anniversary Celebrations.

Food Bank

An App is now available for the Food bank advising of donations which are urgently required. You need to go to the Food Bank Redemption Media App and select West Berkshire, ideal while you're out and about. Items currently required are tinned fruit, rice pudding, custard, coffee, long-life fruit juice and sponge puddings. Thank you.